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USSR TERRITORIAL-ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES (8)

[Comment: The following territorial-administrative changes were reported in the Soviet daily press and in Vedomosti Verkhovnogo Soveta SSSR during May and June 1955.

Numbers in parentheses refer to appended sources.]

BELORUSSIAN SSR

By a 13 May 1955 ukase the Presidium, Supreme Soviet USSR, approved the proposal of the Presidium, Supreme Soviet Belorussian SSR, to change the name of Yamnitsa Railroad Station of the Belorussian Railroad System to Golynets Station.(1)

LITHUANIAN SSR

The city of Mariyampole was renamed Kapsukas, and Mariyampol'skiy Rayon was renamed Kapsukskiy Rayon by a 9 April 1955 ukase of the Presidium, Supreme Soviet Lithuanian SSR.(2)

KAZAKH SSR

By a 3 June 1955 ukase of the Presidium, Supreme Soviet Kazakh SSR, the city of Stepnyak in Kokchetavskaya Oblast, formerly a city of oblast subordination, was designated a city of rayon subordination. The rayon center of Enbekshil'derskiy Rayon was transferred from Kazgorodok Village to Stepnyak.(3)

RSFSR

The Presidium, Supreme Soviet RSFSR, has issued ukases for the following territorial-administrative changes:

By 28 March 1955 ukases, the following workers' settlements were designated cities of rayon subordination --

Kirovo-Chepetskiy Workers' Settlement, Prosniyskiy Rayon, Kirovskaya Oblast, which was renamed Kirovo-Chepetsk;

Vyatskiy Workers' Settlement and Lesozavodskiy Workers' Settlement, Kirovskiy Rayon, Kirovskaya Oblast, which were combined into one populated point named Novo-Vyatsk.(2)

The name of Ovrazhki-Vyalki Resort Settlement (dachnyy poselok), Ramenskii Rayon, Moskovskaya Oblast, was changed to Rodniki Resort Settlement by a 19 May 1955 ukase.(4)

By a 6 May 1955 ukase, Kumarskiy Rayon, Amurskaya Oblast, was abolished and its territory transferred to Svobodnenskiy and Shimanovskiy rayons.

Tsentral'nyy and Promyshlennyy rayons were formed in the city of Kurgan, Kurganskaya Oblast by a 12 May 1955 ukase.(1)

By a 19 May 1955 ukase, the city of Chesnokovka was approved as the center of Barnaul'skiy Rayon. Altayskiy Kray, and Barnaul'skiy Rayon was renamed Chesnokovskiy Rayon.

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The rayon center of Udereyskiy Rayon, Krasnoyarskiy Kray, was transferred from Yuzhno-Yeniseyskiy Workers' Settlement to Motygin Village by a 19 May 1955 ukase.

By a 26 May 1955 ukase the territory of Ialbuzskiy Village Soviet, Klukhorskiy Rayon, Stavropol'skiy Kray, was transferred to El'brusskiy Rayon, Kabardinian ASSR.(5)

TADZHIK SSR

By a 29 April 1955 ukase of the Presidium, Supreme Soviet Tadzhik SSR, the name of the center of Ayninskiy Rayon, Leninabadskaya Oblast, was changed from Zakhmatabad Village (kishlak) to Ayni Village (kishlak).(1)

UZBEK SSR

Bayautskiy Rayon, Tashkentskaya Oblast, with its center in Dimitrovskoye Village (seleniye), from the division of Khavastskiy Rayon by a 19 April 1955 ukase of the Presidium, Supreme Soviet Uzbek SSR.(2)

SOURCES

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3. Alma-Ata, Kazakhstanskaya Pravda, 4 Jun 55
4. Moscow, Moskovskaya Pravda, 22 May 55
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